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The Annual A. P. Meeting

THE annual meeting of the Associated Press is of impor-L tance not merely to the members who represent some 1300 of the daily newspapers of the country, but to the public at large, because IT brings into attention the great service which this mutual organization performs, in the collection and handling of news. Newspapers exist primarily to chronicle important facts of everyday life and to print and distribute this record of events with swiftness and accuracy. The way they are accomplishing this is a tribute to the skill of the highly technical organization which has been created, which makes use of the best facilities available for dispatch of news to member papers.

The past year has been one of strain on all news organizations. Staffs have had to work under greater pressure because of the volume of material to be handled and the economies which it became necessary to enforce. There has been no diminution in the "news load" of the great press service. On the contrary there never was a time save during war when the public interest in news was as keen and the significant events were of such vital importance as during the past few years and months. We think it is safe to say that the Associated Press has discharged its duty to its members and to the public with conspicuous success. Foreign news, elections, business news, domestic news like the Lindbergh kidnaping, the Akron disaster, the Long Beach earthquake, -all these parcels of news have been handled with great

Recognizing the proprietary interest of the members in the news which they collect and distribute over the Associated Press, the members voted to withhold the news from radio stations save for brief bulletins on important events. This is a necessary step in order to protect the papers for the commodity which makes their product of value.

The Associated Press is a great non-profit organization, cooperatively owned and administered. Its service is to its member papers, and through them to their readers. Through decades it has proven its loyalty to high standards of journalism. It is non-partisan and non-sectarian. Its sole purpose is to relate fairly and completely the news as it is being created day by day and hour by hour all over the world. So fine has been this service that the American public has come to nicest girl in this town and gets tired place implicit confidence in the truth of dispatches which bear the "AP" identification. And it is to maintain that standing that the Associated Press dedicates its whole organization.

The Statesman is one of the oldest members of the Associated Press. It is proud of its membership; and happy to report the old organization is growing with the times and keeping pace with all developments in the field of news-gathering and distribution.

Is Justice Blind?

WINNIE RUTH JUDD is insane and must not be hanged, one jury says. Tom Mooney gets a new trial. With these things we cannot quarrel, lacking the bloodthirsty desire to see a woman stretch by the neck until "dead, dead, dead," and lacking also the prejudice against "reds" which would decree that a man whose guilt is gravely in doubt, must stay in prison because he is a radical and the friend of radicals.

Meanwhile behind the walls of our own prison we note recently arrived murderers. One, a ne'er-do-well who turned bandit and slew his benefactor; who took advantage of the kindness many persons show to hitch-hikers, to commit a dastardly crime. This man, William J. Moore, gets off with life imprisonment.

The other was a useful citizen; a mechanical genius whose inventions, though they did not startle the world, yet provided comfort to his fellowmen and saved them tedious labor; and will continue to do so after Harry Riley is deadfor he is to be hanged. His crime, perhaps no more excusable than the other, yet appears to have been prompted at least in part by a misguided but originally worthy sentiment -the desire to have his wife return to his home.

One jury recommended life imprisonment with the proviso that there should never be a pardon—the efficacy of which remains to be tested. The other made no recommenda-

Perhaps Harry Riley deserves to die. We would not suggest that William J. Moore deserves to die. Yet there appears here to be an inequality of justice.

The Insanity Dodge

CIPEAKING of the Winnie Judd escape from the noose un-O der plea of insanity (which seems to have vanished the moment the reprieve was extended), the Medford Mail-Tribune comes forward to object to the use of the plea of insanity as a defense for murder. The Mail-Tribune says we should abolish capital punishment; and then make the penalty life imprisonment and apply it to the sane and the insane alike. This would do away with the parade of alienists to prove the defendant is sane or insane, because the penalty would be the same in either event. Of course if after conviction the accused was found insane by state authorities he would be confined in an institution for criminal insane instead of the ordinary prison.

There is a lot of hocus-pocus about this insanity dodge. The way it works is all in favor of the defendant. If he can prove himself insane at the time of conviction then he escapes punishment for the crime. All that is left then is to prove he has recovered his sanity since the crime was committed, and then he goes scot-free. Under the M-T's theory by abolishing capital punishment and the insanity plea, then as it says:

"In this way one of the most deplorable scandals in Amercan jurisprudence would be removed and society would be given the protection against murderers,—and murderesses—to which it is entitled."

The proposal is worth consideration.

Having voted to free the Philippines we now may find it necessary to intervene in Cuba. The success of the Cuban experiment gives little encouragement to advocates of Philippine independence.

Another had thing about repeal of prohibition is that it may bring a revival of "Ten Nights in a Barro "Lips that touch liquor . . ." Prohibition spared us those.

Another mountain in Colorado has started crumbling. The duntains are joining the deflation crase too.

"MARY FAITH" By

the marriage, Kim brusquely startles Mary Paith by breaking the engage-ment. Later, when he sees her with Mark Nesbit in a jewelry store, se-The next morning he appears at Mary. Faith's boarding house and overwhelms her with his protestations of love. She again leaves her position and, after a hasty marriage, they spend an ecstatic two weeks' honeymoon in the house of Kim's aunt in the country. Returning home, Mary Faith moves to the Farrell by her failure to drink and gamble. he admits taking that sum from the firm's collections for his own use. The next night, at dinner, he tells Mary Faith he has lost his position. He then persuades her to let him have a thousand dollars to open his own office. Mary Faith, learning that she is to become a mother, joyously visits Kim's office to tell him the good news. She finds him flirting with a girl. Kim is furious. Mary Faith decides not to tell him of the approaching event. Back in the apartment, Kim tells Mary Faith and his mother that he is getting outthat his marriage is a failure. Mary Faith tries to stop him from leaving but he is adamant. "We made a mistake," Kim said. Mary Faith tells Mrs. Farrell that her baby is to be born in January. They decide to stay on in the flat. Without informing Kim, Mary Faith mails \$60 to his former employers. Mary Faith looks

CHAPTER XXV

for work.

What happened between you and Kim, Mary Faith?"

Mary Faith put her head to one know it. I didn't mind staying at

with infinite scorn in her voice. "He on vacation. But Jean tells me that "I did, Kim. I knew that you for five years and I've never been typing lawyers' briefs, manuscripts, heard from Mr. McIntrae?" bored by you. . . . It's too bad you letters, anything that came her way. didn't marry Mark Nesbit, Mary Once again her days were filled lutely hay-wire over you."

tan silk bag and powdered her face the office. before she finished what she had to is that he has a heart as big as a the flat-usually two tomato sandhotel. He falls for every girl he wiches and a thermos bottle of the meets . . . I never told you at the coffee that was left over from breaktime but he even tried to date me up fast. She ate it, sitting at her desk, while you were engaged to him; and with a book from the library lying I was always bumping into him open on her typewriter before her. when he was out stepping with other girls. Remember how I used to the way home, because Dr. Thatcher where else. . . . For a week I've been urge you to marry him before he had told her that she ought to take wondering about that money, and left you high and dry? . . . What are plenty of exercise. She and Kim's tonight it occurred to me that you you going to do now? Divorce

Divorce. . . . The very word was paralyzing to Mary Faith. She stood staring blankly at Jean for a full minute before she answered her,

some girl, haven't you?"

"Oh, no, I'd never divorce Kim,

Mary Faith, comely young orphan, gives up her position as secretary to the wealthy Mark Neshit to marry Kimberley Farrell. Kim, a young, shiftless lawyer, lives with his mother. When the latter objects to the marriage, Kim brusquely startles the marriage, Kim brusquely startles in the course of human events, you might want to marry again sometime, you know. Such things have the undoubtedly thinks we've happened."

happened."

"No, I'd never want to marry again. No matter what happens there never will be anybody but Kim for me, Jean—and there's just a chance that he'll come back here to he'll begin to wonder where you are and whether you're all right or not."

ders once more. "I must go," she said. "I have a hear from Kim. mary Faith moves to the Farrell apartment. Kim's friends, Claire and Jack Maldon, find Mary Faith a dull companion for their jazzy parties. Mary Faith realizes Kim is irritated by her failure to drink and gamble.

date with a man from Phoenix. One night they came home from the picture show and found him sitting in his roadster in the street outling in his roadster in tanned and blue-eyed. You ought to it and came across the sidewalk to parties alone. Mary Faith takes care of the house but knows nothing of Kim's finances. When he hints at being pinched for money, Mary Faith grows everything on it, from canta- Mary Faith had never seen before. loupes to cotton. Well, I hope you'll At first she thought he had come accedes to his request for \$60. Later, enjoy working for Florrie. I think back to her and her knees turned to you will. I'd work for her myself water and her heart beat like a tripbut I don't believe relatives ever get hammer. along in business, do you?" And she went away to keep her engage-

> ographic Service at twenty-five dollars a week. The office was a big, Ella." up-to-date one on the ground floor of the Arcade Building on Spring Street a few blocks away from the Towers Building where Kim had his law office.

The Arcade Building was the largest building in town. It had its and shoe-shining parlor, its own cirin itself.

Florrie Bond employed two girls mighty glad to get you. I'll fix it and eyes and a tall slender figure nicely, don't we, Mrs. Farrell. you first thing tomorrow morning. She never wore anything but black

string of pearls.

"I'm going to let you stay in the to work that first hot June morning. try town. . . . home nights or going to a picture "Sometimes the other girls go out show with him. As long as he was to take dictation or do typing in the with me I didn't need anybody else. other offices of the building. Some-But he got tired of me, it seems. . . " times they fill in as substitutes when "Tired of you, bah!" cried Jean the regular stenographers are ill or month ago?" he asked her.

She took a vanity case out of her traffic outside the front windows of

Every morning she packed her done they would stroll around Haltnorth Park or go to the moving pie

ture theater, a block from home. "For a couple of deserted women we get along very well, don't we?" Jean. What makes you ask me if I Mary Faith sometimes asked cheerwould? You've seen him lately with fully when they were walking along side by side through the warm "No, I haven't, but he's left you, breathing darkness of the summer hasn't he? And, so far as I can night, "I wonder what Kim would

No Cream!

me if he knows that I want him."

Jean's lips, painted the bright red of sealing wax, curled in a smile that was half tenderness and half contempt. She shrugged her shoulblast furnace, and still they did not

"Why, Kim?" she said simply. "I want to talk to you, Mary ment with the ranchman from Ari- Faith." He gave her a cold level look ona. from his gray eyes, and turned to On the first Monday in June Mary his mother. "How are you, Mother, Faith started work as a stenog- and what are you doing here? Until rapher for the Write-O Sten- tonight I thought you were safe and sound in Garrettsville with Aunt

"No, I'm safe and sound right here where I belong," said his mother. "Mary Faith and I thought we'd be more comfortable here, so after you left we stayed on."

"How do you manage it?" He followed them into the flat and waited own restaurant, its own barber shop while they turned on the lights in and beauty shop its own newsstand the little sitting room. Then he sat down on the arm of the Turkish culating library. It was a little city leather rocker just inside the door, balancing his gray hat on one knee. It was Mary Faith who answered besides Mary Faith, and she herself him. "I got a job, Kim," she said, was busy all day long answering the "and we cut down expenses here. telephone and making appointments We had the telephone taken out and "Of course, Florrie will give you or arrangements for bringing work we stopped eating meat and doing a job," Jean said. "She knows what into the office. She was a pretty, a lot of other little things that meant slick work you do, and she'll be clever-looking girl with black hair spending money. We get along very

"We certainly do. We may not -lustrous clinging black-and a have all the luxuries of life," admitted Kim's mother, "but at least we're not accepting charity from side, thinking. "Well, for one thing office all the time, Mrs. Farrell," she anybody, and we're not stuck in a he was bored, Jean, and I didn't said to Mary Faith when she came boarding house or a miserable coun-

> Kim wasn't listening to her. His eyes were on Mary Faith's face. "Did you send sixty dollars to McIntrae and Westover about a

marries the best-looking girl and the you want to be as quiet as possible." wanted to send it yourself, in all She gave Mary Faith a desk near probability, but that you were too of her in five months! He didn't the big windows that looked out into stiff-necked ever to do it, and so I have sense enough to appreciate the lobby of the building. And there sent it for you. Why do you want you, that's what! I've known you Mary Faith sat eight hours a day, to know about it, Kim? Have you He nodded his blond and hand-

some head, "He sent for me last Faith, when you had the chance, with the click of typewriter keys, Friday," he said. "He told me that And you did have it. Everybody at the ringing of the telephone, the he admired the spirit that prompted the office knew that he was abso- slam and rattle of filing cabinet me to return that money, and pulled drawers, the sound of the downtown a lot of that sort of talk on me. I didn't know what he was driving at but I had brains enough to keep my mouth shut. He told me he thought say: "The trouble with Kim Farrell lunch in the cool breezy kitchen of I'd learned my lesson, and then he told me I could come back to work for him if I wanted to."

"And did you?" "Of course. I was starving to death down there in the Towers Building. If I hadn't gone back to Every night she walked part of him I'd have had to get a job somemother would get supper together, might have sent it to him, I knew and afterward, when the dishes were that you and Jack Maldon were the only two people who knew that I never had turned it in at the office. I telephoned Mrs. Puckett's but she told me that she hadn't seen you in weeks. So I came around here."

(To Be Continued)

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BITS for BREAKFAST HEALTH

Ploneer licking

1872 Salem found in the little boarding at Mrs. Beamett's, warned high priced book, the story of the switching of an unruly boy and the death of the boy's father of the switching of an unruly boy insolent language to Bosworth, and the death of the boy's father, telling him he would throw stones at the chickens just when he who took up the quarrel.

The copy for that historical sketch, according to tradition, was furnished by Rev. L. H. Judparty which arrived in 1840; the thorough switching. argest missionary flock that up to that time had ever sailed for a foreign port. The initials, J. H. B.,

however, appear in the book at the enl of the sketch. They stood for J. Henry Brown, who wrote a work carpentering at the house good deal of early Oregon history, including contributions to the fanous Bancroft volumes. The story in the book reads: "In the summer of 1847, a resdent of Salem, a Mr. Popham, who had a wife and two children, ooth boys, came to a sudden death n the following manner: "The eldest boy of Mr. Popham after a blow or two, Popham stagwas known to all the neighbors as gered and fell and was gasping, troublesome, mischievous lad, when Bosworth called to him to

to correct him for fear, as they said, that he would go into fits. The boy had a violent temper, and did pretty much as he pleased, regardless of the wishes of his par-5 5 S "While Mr. Popham was absent from home, this boy in going home from school went out of the direct route toward home to do

Yesterdays

mischief, and was found throwing

stones at Mrs. Bennett's chickens

in her enclosure by her residence,

. . . Of Old Salem Town Talks from The States-

man of Earlier Days April 25, 1908

Walla Walla-David Campbell, of Monmouth, piano, and Miss Florence Mary Bobanon of Wallace, Ida., in vocal, were the winners of the \$350 scholarship prizes in the annual prize musical contest of the Whitman conservatory of music, which closed to-

out in fine shape at the state pro- writer finds no mention of Pophibition oratorical contest held in ham or Dr. J. W. Boyle in the lists this city tonight, the representa- of Bashford, Nesmith, Shaw or ing caused by an operation or accitive of the Salem institution, Miss Bancroft, of the 1842-3-4-5-6 imdary Gittins, taking first place.

Governor Chamberlain returned vesterday from Corvallis where he had been in attendance upon the meeting of the board of regents. The meeting was concerned with changes in buildings and teaching personnel at O. A. C.

April 25, 1923 A tribute of respect was paid yesterday to John McNary, retiring president of the Rotary club, at its weekly meeting. He was also presented with a fine brief

During the month of March a total of \$5,994.69 in state warrants was issued by Secretary of State Sam A. Kozer, according to statement by Mr. Kozer yester-

It will be impossible under an election next November.

which was on the same block where the 'Bennett House' now

pleased.
"Bosworth prepared himself with a switch, and the next day when the boy came to fulfill his threat of stoning the chickens, Bosworth caught and gave him a

"In a day or two after, the boy's father came home and immediate ly went to where Bosworth was at then being built by Joseph Holman, being the same building lately moved to make room for the new M. E. church soon to be built, and there began a quarrel with Bosworth, threatening to whip him. An affray commenced between the parties. Mr. Holman was near by and heard the contention, but did not see either one and he was under no manner of get up and not be playing oposcontrol by his parents. They alleg- sum, but Bosworth soon ceased to ed that they did not deem it safe breathe.

> "He was buried, but, after a few days, the public sentiment required a post mortem examination. The body was disinterred. and Dr. J. W. Boyle, assisted by Dr. W. H. Willson, opened the body of Popham and found the lungs filled with blood. They also found that the arterial system in and near the lungs was, in places, almost or entirely denuded of its outer or muscular coat, and in passing a probe into the pulmonary artery they found the artery transparent. The doctors decided that death was probably caused by an arterial rupture in the lungs, caused doubtless by the violent passionate excitement of Mr. Popham,

"Mr. Popham was, however, arrested, and on being examined was held under ball to the next term of the district court, but on his trial was acquitted by the jury on the testimony of the physicians, and in the entire absence of any testimony to prove that Bosworth used any sufficient violence in the affray to cause Popham's death,"

J. H. Bosworth, likely the man who whipped the Popham boy, was a member of the 1846 cov-McMinnville-Willamette won ered wagon immigration. The migrations. They may have come ing and coagulation test". It is a in by sea, from California, or with (Turn to Page 10)

"How does all this talk about inflation and the bill before congress strike you?" asked Statesman reporters Tuesday.

Lloyd A. Southman, accountant: "Let's try it; something has to be done. I hope they let President Roosevelt control it. I think he would be the best person to put in

O. V. Swacy, store clerk: "Don't know. Business is no good. Try

can put me down as one of those act of the 1928 legislature for a who think that inflation will be referendum of the so-called "oleo" a good thing for the country. I er, Leland Coy, returned home the bill to be voted on at the special don't know much about the bill last of the week. Leland is much

NOT BO long ago I told you about a disease called "hemophilia". This strange and unusual disease is often confused with another blood disturb-



upon the slight-Dr. Copeland est bruise or injury. Bleedere a hereditary disease. It is true that the victim of purpura bleeds easily, too; but the bleeding is usually confined to the tissues of the body and the blood does not appear externally. Fundamentally, the diseases are quite different and each requires its distinct treatment.

Facts About Hemophilia

The causes of purpura and hemophilla are not known. Hemophilia differs from purpura in that it has been found only in males of the white race. It is hereditary, being transmitted through the maternal side of the family. Though daughters will not have the affliction, they may transmit it to their male children. Once the disease has become established in a family it will persist until that f.mily becomes extinct.

The bleeding may be severe and even fatal. Hemorrhages may be traced to slight and almost insignificant injuries. Fortunately, the strange and unusual disease is a rare affliction of mankind. Prolonged and severe hemorrhages may occur in purpura as well as in hemophilia. In purpura a bleeding

comes on suddenly and Lay any of the tissues of the body. Hemorrhages may occur beneath the skin and produce many black and blue marks all over the body. The bleeding may continue for days or weeks and sometimes proves fatal. Purpura cannot be traced to any family trait. The sufferer bruises

easily, and has noticed excessive bleeding upon the slightest injury. Unlike hemophilia, the disease is not always fatal. In fact, within recent years great strides have been made in the treatment of this disease, as well as in the control of hemophilia.

As I have suggested, the victim of this disease may be unaware of his affliction. In former years sufferers from hemophilia and purpura accidentally learned of their misfortune. Nowadays it is common practice to conduct a simple test on all children and adults who are suspected of having either one of these diseases. It simple procedure and is a reliable means of discovering unsuspected cases of hemophilia and purpura.

There still remains a great deal to be learned about such mysterious and baffling diseases. Let us hope for the continued success of those scientists who have devoted their lives to the solving of the problem. Suspected cases of purpurs and hemophilia require immediate attention. Bear in mind that neglect is dangerous. Every effort should be made to take advantage of all that modern science has contributed for the control of purpura and hemophilia. (Copyright, 1933, K. F. S., Inc.)

MRS. BLACK HAS FLU

PIONEER, April 25-Mrs. Roy Black is confined to her bed with the flu. She was quite bad Sunday but improved some Monday morn-Paul Smith, working man: "You ing. Mrs. Tom Keller, who was called to Cottage Grove on account of the sickness of her broth-

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